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BASIC-ABSTRACT:

The procedure includes carrying out a measurement of the time interval between a reference information signal transmission time, and a position signal (SW) transmitted by a distant station (ONT) at a central station.

Such measurements are compared with a period of time which represents a position window (Tf) in order to determine propagation time between the stations.

USE/ADVANTAGE - Allows propagation time determination for time division multiple access systems using optical fibres communications with passive couplers, permitting compensation for different propagation times.

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EQUIVALENT-ABSTRACTS:

Method for determining the transmission time between remote terminal stations (ONT) and a central terminal station (OLT) in a point-to-multi[point bidirectional transmission network, said method comprising measurement by the central station of the time interval between a reference time for sending of information signals by said central station and reception by said central station of a location signal (SW) sent by a remote station after a time-delay starting from a reference time for reception of said information signals by said remote station so that said location signal is received by said central station in a particular location window not assigned to reception by said central station of information signals, the location window repeating in a regular manner, characterised in that, for a given remote station, said time-delay is variable from an initial value (Tri) such that if the location signal is not received in the first location window, said location signal sending by the remote station is then repeated with a different time-delay until said location signal is received by said central station in one of the successive location windows.

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The method for determining the transmission time between remote terminals and a central station in a point-to-multipoint bidirectional transmission network, involves measuring by the central

station of a time interval between a first reference time for sending of information signals and reception by the central station of a location signal sent by a remote station after a time-delay starting from a second reference time for reception of the information signals by the remote station. The location signal is received by the central station in a predetermined location window, which has a width and which is not assigned to reception by the central station of information signals.

For a given remote station, the time delay is varied from an initial value such that the location signal is not necessarily received in the window. When the location signal is not received in the window, it is repeatedly transmitted the remote station until the location signal is received by the central station in the window.

USE/ADVANTAGE - Suits half-duplex or simplex transmissions.

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